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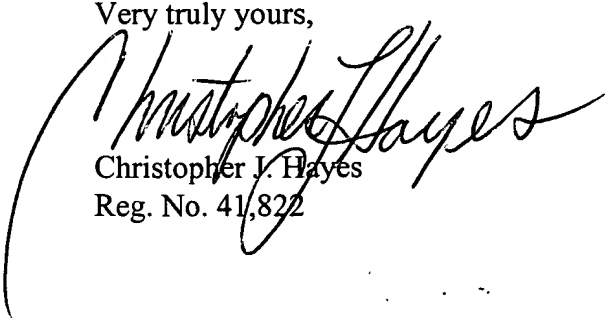
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- 1) This Transmittal Letter (1 page, in duplicate);
- 2) Information Disclosure Statement Under Rule 1.56 (2 pages);
- 3) Form PTO-1449 (1 page);
- 4) Copy of 1 reference; and
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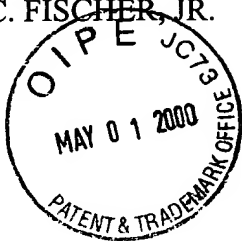
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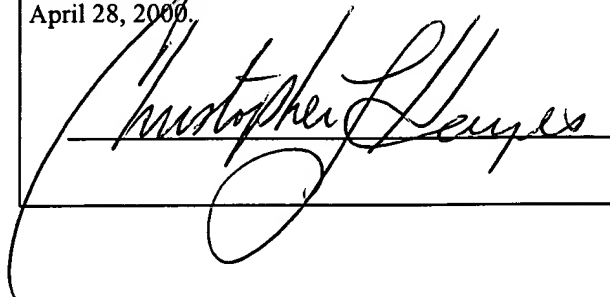
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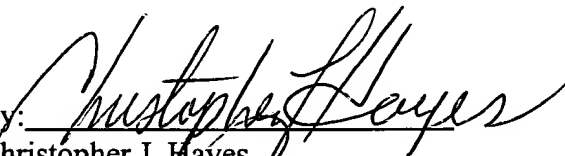
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